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Art Unit : 2735  
Examiner : Brian Zimmerman  
Applicant : Joel D. Stanfield et al.  
Appln. No. : 08/998,302  
Filing Date : December 24, 1997  
For : ELECTRONIC SYSTEM, COMPONENTS AND METHOD FOR TRACKING FILES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Box Non-Fee Amendment  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

Any fee for additional claims has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Col. 1		Col. 2	Col. 3	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total Claims	*63	Minus	**63	=00	x \$ 9	\$00	X \$ 18	\$00
Independent Claims	*14	Minus	***14	=00	x \$39	\$00	X \$ 78	\$00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims \$130						\$00	X \$260	\$00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$00		\$00

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\_\_\_ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted or is enclosed.

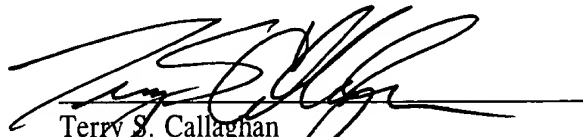
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action mailed January 10, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

In the Abstract:

Page 55, line 10, change "locating" to --locate--.

In the Specification:

Page 2, line 6, change "suppose" to --supposed--.

Page 10, line 3, change "detailed" to --detail--.

Page 13, line 19, change "it" to --its--.

Page 21, line 15, change "allows" to --allow--.

Page 22, line 1, before "sense" delete "the".

Page 22, line 8, change "length time" to --length of time--.

Page 24, line 12, change "inquires" to --inquiries--.